

**NEUROSTIMULATING LEAD**

**Abstract of the Disclosure**

5 A neurostimulating lead for use in stimulating peripheral nerves branching from the spinal column comprises an elongated, flexible lead that is appropriately sized to allow percutaneous insertion into the epidural space as well as steerability properties allowing it to be guided through the intervertebral foramen and into a sheath surrounding the targeted peripheral nerves. The lead  
10 includes a plurality of thin-film metal electrodes connected by individual spiral-wound conductors embedded within the wall of the lead to electrical contacts at the proximal end of the lead. The lead is further designed to include an internal lumen for use with a guidewire in an  
15 over-the-wire lead placement.

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